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**BY EMAIL AND ECF**

The Honorable Alison J. Nathan  
United States District Judge  
Southern District of New York  
40 Foley Square  
New York, NY 10007

Re: *United States v. Nico Burrell et al.*, S2 15 Cr. 95 (AJN)

Dear Judge Nathan:

The Government writes respectfully to request that the Court stay the decision setting bail for defendants Anthony King and Ricardo Stewart. King and Stewart were arrested and presented yesterday before the Honorable James C. Francis IV. Judge Francis denied the Government's requests for their detention on grounds of danger to the community and risk of flight. Defense counsel for King and Stewart have represented that their clients are close to meeting the conditions of release set by Judge Francis. However, the Government believes that these defendants did not overcome the presumption of detention and that they pose a danger to the community and a risk of flight. We therefore respectfully request that the Court stay the granting of bail for King and Stewart until this Court is able to review the decisions.

So ordered.

We will be contacting Your Honor's chambers to schedule bail hearings at the Court's earliest convenience.

Respectfully submitted,

PREET BHARARA  
United States Attorney

SO ORDERED:

*[Signature]*  
HON. ALISON J. NATHAN  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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